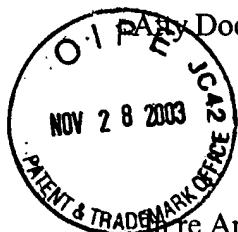


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Docket No. 080398.P506

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In re Application of:) Examiner: Corrielus, Jean M.
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Serial No. 09/904,449)
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Office Action mailed August 26, 2003, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of this application, as amended, and consideration of the following remarks.



AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Application No.: 09/904,449
Filing Date: 7/11/01
First Named Inventor Rising, III.
Examiner's Name: Corrielus, J.
Art Unit: 2172
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- An Amendment After Final Action (37 CFR 1.116) is attached and applicant(s) request expedited action.
- Charge any fee not covered by any check submitted to Deposit Account No. 02-2666.
- Applicant(s) hereby request and authorize the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office to (1) treat any concurrent or future reply that requires a petition for extension of time as incorporating a petition for extension of time for the appropriate length of time and (2) charge all required fees, including extension of time fees and fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17, for any concurrent or future reply to Deposit Account No. 02-2666.
- Applicant(s) claim small entity status (37 CFR 1.27).

ATTACHMENTS

- Preliminary Amendment
- Amendment/Response with respect to Office Action
- Amendment/Response After Final Action (37 CFR 1.116) (reminder: consider filing a Notice of Appeal)
- Notice of Appeal
- RCE (Request for Continued Examination)
- Supplemental Declaration
- Terminal Disclaimer (reminder: if executed by an attorney, the attorney must be properly of record)
- Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- Copies of IDS citations
- Petition for Extension of Time
- Fee Transmittal Document (that includes a fee calculation based on the type and number of claims)
- Cross-Reference to Related Application(s)
- Certified Copy of Priority Document
- Other: _____
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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

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Code	(\$)	Code	(\$)
1001	770	2001	385
1002	340	2002	170
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		Plant filing fee	
		Reissue filing fee	
		Provisional application filing fee	
SUBTOTAL (1)			\$ <u>0</u>

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Total Claims	- 20** =	X	=
Independent Claims	- 3** =	X	=
Multiple Dependent			=

**Or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see below.

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		Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	290	2203
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		Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204	86	2204
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		**Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205	18	2205
		9
		**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

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1052	50	2052	25		Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
1053	130	1053	130		Non-English specification	
1812	2,520	1812	2,520		For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
1813	8,800	1813	8,800		Request for inter parties reexamination	
1804	920*	1804	920*		Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*		Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251	110	2251	55		Extension for reply within first month	
1252	420	2252	210		Extension for reply within second month	
1253	950	2253	475		Extension for reply within third month	
1254	1,480	2254	740		Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255	2,010	2255	1,005		Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401	330	2401	165		Notice of Appeal	
1402	330	2402	165		Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403	290	2403	145		Request for oral hearing	
1451	1,510	1451	1,510		Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452	110	2452	55		Petition to revive – unavoidable	
1453	1,330	2453	665		Petition to revive - unintentional	
1501	1,330	2501	665		Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
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1807	50	1807	50		Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
1806	180	1806	180		Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	180.00
8021	40	8021	40		Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
1809	770	2809	385		For filing a submission after final rejection (see 37 CFR 1.129(a))	
1814	110	2814	55		Statutory Disclaimer	
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1808	130	1808	130		Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) (except provisionals)	
1454	1,330	1454	1,330		Acceptance of unintentionally delayed claim for priority	

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